

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Bradley Taylor

Application No.: 10/022,325

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For: "Fast Path Message Transfer Agent"

Art Unit: 2141

Examiner: Kenneth R. Coulter

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Commissioner for Patents

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Date: May 16, 2006

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.
2. **STATUS:** Applicant is a small entity.
3. **EXTENSION OF TERM:** The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.
4. **FEE FOR CLAIMS:** The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:


(Col. 1) Claims Remaining After Amendment			(Col. 2) Highest No. Previously Paid For		(Col. 3) Present Extra		SMALL ENTITY	
							Rate	Addit. Fee
Total	27	Minus	27	= 0	x \$25 =	\$0		
Indep.	4	Minus	4	= 0	x \$100 =	\$0		
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim							+ \$180 =	\$0
							Total Addit. Fee	\$0

No additional fee for claims is required.

5. **FEE DEFICIENCY:** If any additional extension and/or fee is required, please charge Deposit Account No. 50-0574.

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